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Organization of work for the substantive sessions

The Ad Hoc Committee of the Whole may wish to devote the first two days of its substantive session to hearing statements from delegations. Subsequent to this, it may wish to consider the establishment of two working groups to conduct its substantive meetings. These may include: a working group dealing with the lessons learned from the independent evaluation of the United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s (UN-NADAF); and the second working group may review the future role of the United Nations in African economic, social and political development and formulate a draft resolution for approval by the General Assembly. These two working groups may function in a consecutive manner. In addition, the Ad Hoc Committee may wish to hear a presentation from the panel of eminent personalities on their report of the independent evaluation of the implementation of UN-NADAF, which would be followed by an interactive debate among the representatives of the Member States.

Documentation

1. Report of the independent evaluation of the implementation of UN-NADAF by the panel of eminent personalities.
2. Report of the Secretary-General on the independent evaluation of the implementation of UN-NADAF.*
3. Note by the Secretary-General on the final review and appraisal of the implementation of the United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s (A/56/270).
4. Agreed conclusions of the Economic and Social Council, 1999/2 (A/54/3/Rev.1).

* To be prepared.

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5. Ministerial Declaration of the high-level segment of the Economic and Social Council on the role of the United Nations in support of the efforts of African countries to achieve sustainable development (see A/56/3).

6. Report of the work of the Ad Hoc Committee of the Whole of the General Assembly.*

7. Report of the Secretary-General on measures taken to initiate the preparatory process for the final review and appraisal of the implementation of the United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s (A/56/435).

8. Report of the Secretary-General on the causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa (A/52/871-S/1998/318).

9. Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations System-wide Special Initiative on Africa in the context of the Final Evaluation of the United Nations New Agenda for Africa in the 1990s (E/AC.51/2002/8).

10. Progress report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s and addendum on mobilization of additional resources for African development: a study on overall resource flows to Africa (A/55/350 and Add.1).

11. Millennium report (A/54/2000) and Millennium Declaration (General Assembly resolution 55/2).

12. Report of the Ad Hoc Committee of the Whole of the General Assembly for the Midterm Review of the Implementation of the United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s (A/51/48).

13. Conference room paper on resource flows to Africa in the 1990s.

14. African civil society organizations and development: re-evaluating for the twenty-first century (May 2002).

Resolutions

1. Implementation of the United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s (General Assembly resolution 55/216).

2. Resolutions 54/234 and 55/217 on the causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa.

3. Second Industrial Development Decade for Africa (1993-2002) (General Assembly resolution 56/187).

4. Final Review and Appraisal of the United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s (General Assembly resolution 56/218).

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